

Solicitation Name	NIJ Office	Solicitation Description	Is this solicitation responsive to a specific Congressional mandate?	If yes, which mandate?	If yes, was this mandate responsive to NIJ/ OJP suggestions?	If yes, which suggestions?
Applied Research and Development in Forensic Science for Criminal Justice Purposes	OIFS	With this solicitation, NIJ seeks proposals for applied research and development projects that will: (1) increase knowledge or understanding necessary to guide forensic science policy and practice or (2) result in the production of useful materials, devices, systems, or methods that have the potential for forensic application. The intent of the Applied Research and Development in Forensic Science for Criminal Justice Purposes Program is to direct the findings of basic scientific research, research and development in broader scientific fields applicable to forensic science, and ongoing forensic science research toward the development of highly discriminating, accurate, reliable, cost-effective, and rapid methods for the identification, analysis, and interpretation of physical evidence for criminal justice purposes.	Yes	H.R. 4640 (106th): DNA Analysis Backlog Elimination Act of 2000. To make grants to States for carrying out DNA analyses for use in the Combined DNA Index System of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, to provide for the collection and analysis of DNA samples from certain violent and sexual offenders for use in such system, and for other purposes. Also see: 42 USC § 14135 - The Debbie Smith DNA Backlog Grant Program	No	N/A
Applied Technology Research and Development for Criminal Justice Purposes	OST	NIJ seeks proposals for applied technology research and development projects leading to the introduction into practice of improved technologies for use by law enforcement, courts, and corrections agencies. NIJ is particularly interested in (1) the application of expert systems technologies to enhance the performance of non-expert practitioners and (2) improved devices to locate and track offenders that are under supervision in the community. NIJ will also entertain proposals for applied technology research and development to meet other demonstrated, high-priority needs of law enforcement, courts, and corrections agencies.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A
Applied Technology Research and Development to Optimize Criminal Justice Use of Social Media in the "Web 3.0" Environment	OST	NIJ seeks proposals for research and development leading to the introduction into practice of needed technologies to enhance the ability of criminal justice agencies to use social media as "Web 3.0" continues to develop and mature.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A
Basic Scientific Research to Assess Youth with Sexual Offending Behavior	ORE	NIJ seeks proposals for basic research in the development and validation of a risk assessment tool with both static and dynamic factors for juveniles who commit sex offenses and is designed for use in criminal and juvenile justice systems.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A

Basic Scientific Research to Support Forensic Science for Criminal Justice Purposes	OIFS	With this solicitation, NIJ seeks proposals for funding basic scientific research in the physical, life, and cognitive sciences that is designed to increase the knowledge underlying forensic science disciplines intended for use in the criminal justice system.	Yes	H.R. 4640 (106th): DNA Analysis Backlog Elimination Act of 2000. To make grants to States for carrying out DNA analyses for use in the Combined DNA Index System of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, to provide for the collection and analysis of DNA samples from certain violent and sexual offenders for use in such system, and for other purposes. Also see: 42 USC § 14135 - The Debbie Smith DNA Backlog Grant Program	No	N/A
Building and Enhancing Criminal Justice Researcher-Practitioner Partnerships	ORE	NIJ seeks proposals for criminal justice research and evaluation that include a researcher-practitioner partnership component. Within the context of the proposed research or evaluation project, the partnerships can be new or ongoing. Results from these projects should lead to better criminal justice policy, practice, and research, including for the participating practitioner partner. NIJ intends to support criminal justice research in two areas related to new and ongoing researcher-practitioner collaborations. Proposals should fall under one of the following program areas: (1) Junior Faculty Grant Program to Promote Criminal Justice Researcher-Practitioner Partnerships, and (2) Criminal Justice Researcher-Practitioner Fellowship Placement Program.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A
Date Resources Program 2013: Funding for the Analysis of Existing Data	ORE	The National Institute of Justice (NIJ), the Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS), and the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) have entered into a partnership to request applications under this Data Resources Program (DRP) solicitation for original research using existing data available from the National Archive of Criminal Justice Data (NACJD) and other public sources.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A
Desistance from Crime over the Life Course	ORE	This solicitation seeks proposals to conduct research that enhances knowledge of the process of desistance from crime. NIJ encourages applicants to submit proposals for bold, innovative approaches to enhancing understanding of the processes underlying desistance from crime.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A
Environmental Scan of Family Justice Centers in the United States	ORE	This environmental scan will be the first phase of a multi-phase project to evaluate the impact and effectiveness of Family Justice Centers.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A

<p align="center">Establishing a National Criminal Justice Technology Research, Test, and Evaluation Center</p>	<p align="center">OST</p>	<p>NIJ seeks proposals to establish a Criminal Justice Technology RT&E Center within the NIJ-funded NLECTC System. This Center will conduct focused RT&E activities to inform NIJ's non-forensic technology research and development (R&D) efforts. It will also conduct RT&E activities to support NIJ's efforts to inform practitioners, policymakers, and researchers ('the field') regarding technologies or technology-related issues for purposes of improving criminal justice policy and practice.</p>	<p align="center">No</p>	<p align="center">N/A</p>	<p align="center">N/A</p>	<p align="center">N/A</p>
<p align="center">Evaluating the Effectiveness of State, Local and Tribal Responses to Violence Committed Against Indian Women Living in Tribal Communities</p>	<p align="center">ORE</p>	<p>Title IX, Section 904(a) of the Violence Against Women and Department of Justice Reauthorization Act of 2005 (VAWA 2005), Public Law Number 109-162 (codified at 42 U.S.C. § 3796gg-10 note), calls for the National Institute of Justice (NIJ) to conduct analyses and research on violence against Indian women living in Indian Country. In conducting its analyses and research, this section asks NIJ to, in consultation with the Office on Violence Against Women (OVW), conduct a "national baseline study" focusing on domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, and murder, and evaluating the effectiveness of responses to those violations. To date, NIJ has made significant progress in evaluating the effectiveness of federal responses to crimes committed against American Indian and Alaska Native women living in tribal communities. However, state, local, and tribal responses have not been evaluated. This solicitation seeks proposals to conduct evaluations of promising programs that effectively respond to violence against Indian women living in tribal communities managed by state, local, or tribal governments.</p>	<p align="center">Yes</p>	<p>Title IX, Section 904 (a) of the Violence Against Women and Department of Justice Reauthorization Act of 2005 (VAWA 2005)</p>	<p align="center">No</p>	<p align="center">N/A</p>
<p align="center">Evaluating the Efficacy of Lighting, Marking, and Paint Schemes in Reducing the Incidence of Law Enforcement Vehicle Crashes</p>	<p align="center">OST</p>	<p>NIJ seeks proposals to conduct evaluations of the impact of alternative lighting, markings, and painting schemes for law enforcement vehicles on the incidence of traffic accidents involving law enforcement vehicles. NIJ is also interested in determining how these schemes may otherwise affect law enforcement operations.</p>	<p align="center">No</p>	<p align="center">N/A</p>	<p align="center">N/A</p>	<p align="center">N/A</p>

Evaluation of OVW's Domestic Violence Homicide Reduction Initiative	ORE	Phase 1 of this evaluation of an OVW demonstration program will include the development of a comprehensive evaluation plan of this initiative.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A
Evaluation Research on Police and Technology in Schools	ORE	NIJ is requesting applications for research to evaluate the use of police and technology in schools. The proposed research should be comprehensive and include assessment of aspects such as school ecology, culture, climate, and social capital in addition to outcomes and other impacts. Logic models should be provided and include assessment of implementation processes and outputs and proximal and distal outcomes. A cost-benefit component should be included as part of the proposed research design. Multi-method, multi-measurement, and multiple year projects will be given priority in funding. Administrative agreements with participating school districts are required and should be provided in the funding application.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A
Exploratory Study of Oil Camps in the Dakotas	ORE	This exploratory study will use a mixed-methods approach to gather preliminary descriptive data on violence against women and victimization in selected oil camps in the Dakotas.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A
Forensic Technology Center of Excellence	OIFS	The Forensic Technology Center of Excellence supports NIJ's research, development, testing, and evaluation process by providing scientific and technical support to OIFS' research and development efforts by: (1) supporting the demonstration, transfer, and adoption of technology into practice by laboratories, forensic service providers, and law enforcement & other criminal justice agencies (2) assisting in the development and dissemination of technology guidelines and standards (3) providing technology assistance, information, and support to law enforcement and other appropriate criminal justice agencies and (4) providing access to resources for research, education, and outreach in the forensic science and criminal justice community.	Yes	H.R. 4640 (106th): DNA Analysis Backlog Elimination Act of 2000. To make grants to States for carrying out DNA analyses for use in the Combined DNA Index System of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, to provide for the collection and analysis of DNA samples from certain violent and sexual offenders for use in such system, and for other purposes.	No	N/A
FY 2013 DNA Backlog Reduction Program	OIFS	NIJ seeks proposals for funding under the FY 2013 DNA Backlog Reduction Program. This program provides funds to help states and units of local government with existing crime laboratories that conduct DNA analysis to process, record, screen, and analyze forensic DNA and/or DNA database samples; and to increase the capacity of public forensic DNA and DNA database laboratories to process more DNA samples, thereby helping to reduce the number of forensic DNA and DNA database samples awaiting analysis.	Yes	H.R. 4640 (106th): DNA Analysis Backlog Elimination Act of 2000. To make grants to States for carrying out DNA analyses for use in the Combined DNA Index System of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, to provide for the collection and analysis of DNA samples from certain violent and sexual offenders for use in such system, and for other purposes. Also see: 42 USC § 14135 - The Debbie Smith DNA Backlog Grant Program	No	N/A

<p>Hosting the National Law Enforcement and Corrections Technology Center (NLECTC) System's Small, Rural, Tribal, and Border (SRTB) Regional Center</p>	<p>OST</p>	<p>With this solicitation, NIJ seeks proposals to host the Small, Rural, Tribal and Border (SRTB) Regional Center within the National Law Enforcement and Corrections Technology Center (NLECTC) System. The SRTB is currently hosted by the Center for Rural Development, Inc., with funding provided through a cooperative agreement awarded by NIJ. The total period of an award, including one that receives a project period extension, ordinarily will not exceed 3 years.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>Identifying the Highest Priority Criminal Justice Technology Needs</p>	<p>OST</p>	<p>NIJ seeks proposals to help inform development of NIJ's technology research, development, test, and evaluation (RDT&E) investments. Many different considerations shape the goals and objectives of NIJ's technology RDT&E programs. The most important are the technology needs of the criminal justice practitioner. This solicitation seeks applications to assist NIJ in identifying and assessing the highest priority technology needs of law enforcement, courts, and corrections agencies and potential solutions to those needs.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>National Institute of Justice Body Armor Challenge: How Long Does Body Armor Really Last?</p>	<p>OST</p>	<p>Most law enforcement agencies replace their body armor every three to five years — the typical length of the manufacturer's warranty. However, scientists suspect that the ballistic performance of an individual vest may vary due to a variety of physical, chemical and environmental factors. In September 2012, NIJ issued the first Department of Justice Challenge, asking scientists, inventors and innovators to submit creative ways to test the performance and usability of body armor without destroying it. The goal of the challenge is to empower those who depend on this critical safety equipment to make informed decisions based on solid scientific evidence regarding the ballistic performance of the body armor they use.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>Native American Crime, Victimization, and Justice Studies: Postdoctoral Fellowship</p>	<p>ORE</p>	<p>NIJ seeks proposals for the funding of one or more postdoctoral Native American Studies Research Fellowships to applicants to show the greatest potential for future achievement as scholars and researchers, and who can demonstrate experience relevant to the unique demands of working with tribal communities, including experience working in Indian Country and Alaska Native villages. As the principal research agency within the Department, NIJ is dedicated to improving knowledge and understanding of crime and justice issues through science. The program offers scientists an opportunity to participate full-time on research addressing tribal crime, victimization, and justice issues relevant to the work of NIJ and public policy.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>Reauthorization of the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) 2005, Title IX, Section 904(a) (codified at 42 U.S.C. § 3796gg-10 note)</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>N/A</p>

<p>NIJ Graduate Research Fellowship Program</p>	<p>All</p>	<p>NIJ seeks proposals for funding under the NIJ Graduate Research Fellowship (GRF) program that provides awards for research on crime, violence, and other criminal justice-related topics to accredited universities that offer research-based doctoral degrees. NIJ invests in doctoral education by supporting universities that sponsor students who demonstrate the potential to successfully complete doctoral degree programs in disciplines relevant to the mission of NIJ and who are in the final stages of graduate study. Applicants sponsoring doctoral students are eligible to apply only if the doctoral research dissertation has direct implications for criminal justice policy and practice in the United States and is in an NIJ-supported discipline, e.g. social and behavioral sciences, operations technology, information and sensors research and development, and investigative and forensic sciences.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement Grants Program</p>	<p>OIFS</p>	<p>With this solicitation, NIJ seeks proposals for the Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement Grants Program (the Coverdell program), which awards grants to states and units of local government to help improve the quality and timeliness of forensic science and medical examiner services. Among other things, funds may be used to eliminate a backlog in the analysis of forensic evidence and to train and employ forensic laboratory personnel, as needed, to eliminate such a backlog. State Administering Agencies (SAAs) may apply for both “base” (formula) and competitive funds. Units of local government may apply for competitive funds.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>Paul Coverdell National Forensic Sciences Improvement Act: An Act to improve the quality, timeliness, and credibility of forensic science services for criminal justice purposes, and for other purposes. Cited as Paul Coverdell National Forensic Sciences Improvement Act. S.3045. In 2002, an amendment made these funds available to units of local government as well as States. In 2004, this Act expanded the Coverdell program to include a forensic science backlog reduction component and the requirement of a new certification regarding external investigations.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>Postconviction DNA Testing Assistance Program</p>	<p>OIFS</p>	<p>NIJ seeks proposals from states for funding to assist in defraying the costs associated with postconviction DNA testing in cases of violent felony offenses (as defined by state law) in which actual innocence might be demonstrated. Funds may be used to review such postconviction cases and to locate and analyze biological evidence associated with them. Where a strong justification is provided, a limited proportion of federal award funds may be used for case identification.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>42 U.S.C. § 14136e : US Code - Section 14136E: Kirk Bloodsworth Post-Conviction DNA Testing Grant Program: The Attorney General shall establish the Kirk Bloodsworth Post-Conviction DNA Testing Grant Program to award grants to States to help defray the costs of post-conviction DNA testing.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>N/A</p>

<p>Research and Evaluation on Children Exposed to Violence</p>	<p>ORE</p>	<p>NIJ seeks proposals for multidisciplinary research and evaluation related to childhood exposure to violence. In particular, NIJ seeks proposals to address polyvictimization, Internet harassment/electronic aggression (e.g. bullying through Facebook, harassing e-mails), resilience, or justice system responses to children identified as being exposed to violence. For the purposes of this solicitation, "Children Exposed to Violence (CEV)" encompasses a broad area that includes children as both direct victims and as bystanders or observers of various forms of violence in the home, school, or community (including, but not limited to, peer victimization/bullying/harassment, child maltreatment, domestic violence, and community violence). This solicitation may be used to address other types of violence to which children are exposed, with the exception of media violence (e.g., television and movie violence, music advocating aggression, and violent video games).</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>Research and Evaluation on Justice Systems: Investigator-Initiated</p>	<p>ORE</p>	<p>NIJ is seeking applications for funding social and behavioral science research on, and evaluations related to, justice systems topics relevant to state, local, tribal, or federal criminal and juvenile justice policy and practice.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>Research and Evaluation on Policing</p>	<p>ORE</p>	<p>NIJ seeks proposals to conduct research on policing to promote officer safety and wellness, understand the impact of police technology on crime control and disorder, promote police integrity, and explore the costs and benefits of the consolidation of police agencies at the state, local, and tribal levels. Effective practices in these areas are of critical importance to improving law enforcement operations and ensuring trust and confidence in the police in communities throughout the country.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>

<p>Research and Evaluation on Radicalization to Violent Extremism in the United States</p>	<p>ORP</p>	<p>With this solicitation, NIJ seeks applications for research on radicalization to violent extremism as it occurs in the United States, and for evaluation of promising practices to prevent or mitigate radicalization in U.S. communities. This research will supplement work that NIJ funded in FY2012, and projects now underway at other federal agencies. The goal of this research is to aid state, local, and tribal criminal justice agencies and their attendant communities in implementing programs that prevent or counter radicalization to violent extremism. This solicitation focuses on all forms of radicalization that lead to violent extremism in the United States. Proposals should develop and analyze information and data that have clear implications for criminal justice in the following focus areas: (1) comparative analysis at the individual (micro-) level; (2) online radicalization to violent extremism; and (3) evaluations of promising practices to prevent or mitigate radicalization.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>Congressional appropriations</p>	<p>Not specifically. The appropriations language seems to have originated with OMB.</p>	<p>The scope of work is consistent with NIJ's research interests.</p>
<p>Research and Evaluation on the Abuse, Neglect, and Exploitation of Elderly Individuals and Residents of Residential Care Facilities</p>	<p>ORE</p>	<p>With this solicitation, NIJ seeks applications for funding of research and evaluation related to abuse, neglect, and exploitation of elderly individuals and residents of residential care facilities. Research proposed may be focused at the state, local, tribal, federal, or juvenile criminal justice policy and practice levels.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>Research and Evaluation on the Impact of Social Media on Policing</p>	<p>ORE</p>	<p>NIJ seeks proposals for research that will explore the impact of the current state of social media technology on police practices and outcomes. Although social media technology is now ubiquitous in our society and particularly within law enforcement agencies, it is unclear how this technology is being used by departments, both officially and unofficially, and how this use has translated into public safety outcomes.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>Research and Evaluation on Transnational Issues: Trafficking in Persons, Organized Crime, and Violent Extremism</p>	<p>ORP</p>	<p>NIJ seeks research and evaluation applications on the phenomenon of transnational crime issues. Transnational crime issues leverage geopolitical changes, globalization, and the information technology revolution to transcend sovereign borders and impact numerous countries simultaneously. This research will supplement work already underway at NIJ on three separate topics—trafficking in persons, transnational organized crime, and radicalization to violent extremism. The goal of this solicitation is to provide the information and evidence-based practices that state, local, and tribal criminal justice agencies need to secure their communities against transnational crimes. Proposals should develop and analyze information and data that have clear implications for criminal justice in the following focus areas: (1) transnational offenders, (2) similarities and differences between organized crime and violent extremist groups, (3) measurement of transnational organized crime and trafficking in persons, and (4) evaluations of efforts to reduce demand for transnational organized crime and/or trafficking in persons.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>

Research and Evaluation on Violence Against Women: Teen Dating Violence, Sexual Violence, and Intimate Partner Violence- FY 2013	ORE	<p>With this solicitation, NIJ seeks applications for funding of research and evaluation related to violence against women in the areas of teen dating violence, sexual violence, and intimate partner violence. Research proposed may be focused at the federal, state, local, tribal, juvenile justice policy and/or practice level.</p>	No	N/A	N/A	N/A
Research and Evaluation on White Collar Crime	ORE	<p>NIJ seeks proposals for research and evaluation on a wide range of topics related to white collar crime (WCC). The following list of WCC-related topics is by no means exhaustive and is offered only as a set of examples. Much more research remains to be done in these and many other areas.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ---Improving the research base regarding different types of white collar crimes and criminals, in particular demonstrating how certain research strategies and methodologies are particularly useful for studying the area of WCC. ---Enhancing knowledge of the incidence, prevalence, and characteristics of white collar crimes and criminals. ---Developing and validating standardized definitions, models, or measurements for various types of WCC. ---Developing and/or evaluating new or existing strategies for effective WCC prevention and intervention. ---Developing and demonstrating/evaluating programs to reduce the monetary and other social costs of WCC. 	No	N/A	N/A	N/A
Research on Firearms and Violence	ORE	<p>This solicitation seeks applications for research on firearms and violence such as, but not limited to, the effects of criminal justice interventions on reducing gun violence, improving data systems for studying gun violence, illicit gun markets, and the effects of firearm policies and legislation on public safety.</p>	No	N/A	N/A	N/A
Research on Offender Decision-Making	ORE	<p>NIJ seeks to expand the existing research by examining the process of adult offender decision-making with respect to the decision to offend. NIJ requests proposals that either expand the rational choice model or use other theories (e.g., behavioral economics, business models, psychology, or cognitive models) or both. Proposed research also should consider issues such as social context, emotions, default choices, or possibly environmental context to help the field gain a better understanding of the overall decision-making process.</p>	No	N/A	N/A	N/A

Research on Teen Dating Violence in Understudied Populations: Postdoctoral Fellowship FY 2013	ORE	<p>With this solicitation, NIJ seeks applications for research related to teen dating violence (also known as adolescent relationship abuse). In particular, NIJ is seeking proposals that support postdoctoral fellows to analyze existing data or collect new data on teen dating violence in understudied populations. Research proposed may be focused at the federal, state, local, tribal, juvenile justice policy and practice levels.</p>	No	N/A	N/A	N/A
Research on Violent Victimization	ORE	<p>NIJ seeks proposals for research and evaluation related to violent victimization. Research proposed may be focused at the federal, state, local, tribal, juvenile justice policy and/or practice level. NIJ is particularly interested in proposals examining one or more of the following topics: (1) intersection of race, ethnicity, and violent victimization; (2) effectiveness of services for victims of violent crime; (3) victim/offender overlap as it pertains to violent crime; and (4) sexual orientation and/or gender identity and violent victimization.</p>	No	N/A	N/A	N/A
Social Science Research on Forensic Science	ORE	<p>NIJ is seeking applications for funding social science research on forensic science. Some of the forensic disciplines, particularly in the area of DNA, have experienced numerous advances over the last decade. NIJ is interested in stimulating research to examine the impact of these forensic advances on the criminal justice system and changes in policies to adapt to the greater use of forensic evidence.</p>	No	N/A	N/A	N/A
Study of the Use of Residential Substance Abuse Treatment for State Prisoners Program Funds on Aftercare Services	ORE	<p>NIJ seeks proposals for a study of the use of funds on aftercare services by the Department of Justice under the Residential Substance Abuse Treatment (RSAT) Program. The RSAT for State Prisoners Program funds formula grants to all 56 States and U.S. territories for support of residential, jail-based, and aftercare treatment services delivered to offenders with substance abuse problems by state and local providers. In 2008, Section 102(a) of the Second Chance Act (SCA) amended the RSAT Program funding legislation to require an aftercare component, and Section 102(c) mandated a study on aftercare services by NIJ.</p>	Yes	Second Chance Act	No	N/A
Testing Geospatial Predictive Policing Strategies	ORE	<p>NIJ is seeking applications for research that explores the relationship between theory (of any discipline) and geospatial predictive policing strategies. In particular, NIJ is seeking proposals that focus on linking theories to current policing strategies, discerning potential disconnects in the levels of analysis between theory and practice, explicating what effects this may have on findings, and, finally, addressing means of adapting theory and practice based on the results.</p>	No	N/A	N/A	N/A

<p>The Impact of Probation/Parole Officer Home Visits on Offender Outcomes</p>	<p>ORE</p>	<p>NIJ seeks proposals for research that will explore the impact of home visits on offender outcomes. This will entail understanding promising practices in home visits, how these visits translate into offender outcomes, and what dosage of home visits is necessary to achieve those outcomes. While home visits have long been a staple of the probation/parole profession, the effectiveness of this practice has not been established. Given the current fiscal situation of many probation/parole agencies, research to validate this established practice is critical.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>The Impact of Safety Equipment Modalities on Reducing Correctional Officer Injuries</p>	<p>OST</p>	<p>NIJ seeks proposals to conduct research on differences in safety equipment modalities; that is, policies and practices among correctional agencies regarding what safety equipment staff may use, when and how it may be used, and how those modalities affect officers' physical safety. For the purpose of this solicitation, safety equipment is defined as equipment used by correctional officers to protect them from assaults and to reduce injuries.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>Using DNA Technology to Identify the Missing</p>	<p>OIFS</p>	<p>The goal of the "Using DNA Technology to Identify the Missing" solicitation is threefold: (1) to assist eligible entities in performing DNA analysis on unidentified human remains and/or reference samples to support the efforts of states and units of local government to identify missing persons, (2) to enter the resulting DNA profiles into the FBI's National DNA Index System using the Combined DNA Index System (CODIS) version 7.0, and (3) to enter any relevant case information related to unidentified remains into the National Missing and Unidentified Persons System (NamUs), as deemed appropriate by the submitting agency (if a case is not entered, a justification will be required).</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>H.R. 4640 (106th): DNA Analysis Backlog Elimination Act of 2000. To make grants to States for carrying out DNA analyses for use in the Combined DNA Index System of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, to provide for the collection and analysis of DNA samples from certain violent and sexual offenders for use in such system, and for other purposes.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>W.E.B. DuBois Fellowship for Research on Race, Gender, Culture, and Crime FY 2013</p>	<p>ORE</p>	<p>With this solicitation, NIJ seeks applications for the W.E.B. Du Bois Fellowship for Research on Race, Gender, Culture, and Crime FY 2013. The Fellowship Program seeks to advance knowledge regarding the confluence of crime, justice, and culture in various societal contexts. The Fellowship places particular emphasis on crime, violence, and the administration of justice in diverse cultural contexts within the United States.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>